

McMinnville Parks and Recreation

Adult Slow-Pitch Softball 2020

Covid-19 addendum – Team Guidance

1. Players, coaches, spectators or staff who have any Covid-19 like symptoms (fever, cough, shortness of breath, diarrhea) are prohibited from participating or attending games.
2. Those at risk for severe illness or with serious underlying medical conditions should avoid attending games.
3. Participants are responsible for following guidelines and assume all risk for themselves, teams, and players.
4. Should any player, coach, spectator, participant, umpire, or staff member test positive for COVID-19 within 14 days of attending a Parks and Recreation Coed Softball game, they must notify McMinnville Parks and Recreation at 503-434-7310 or steve.ganzer@mcminnvilleoregon.gov
5. All attendees should wear a mask, face shield, or face covering when not actively participating in the game unless an accommodation for people with disabilities or exemption applies.
6. Coaches/team managers will communicate all policies and facility information to team members. Participants are responsible for following guidelines and assume all risk for themselves, teams, and players.
7. Water fountains are closed. Participants need to provide their own labelled, prefilled water bottles. No sharing of water bottles, coolers, or snacks/food.
8. The game ball will be cleaned and disinfected by the umpire after each teams at bat. Teams are responsible for cleaning and disinfecting any shared equipment (bats).
9. Players should bring their own hand sanitizer that contains 60-95% alcohol content and use it frequently.
10. All participants will maintain physical distancing of at least 6 feet per person. Each field is limited to a maximum of 100 people including players, coaches/managers, spectators and staff.
11. Players will maintain 6 feet of distance in the dugout. Some players will need to spread out behind or next to the dugout to accommodate this.
12. Spectators are encouraged to keep physical distance of at least 6 feet from individuals not residing within their household.
13. To the extent possible, players should take steps so that there is only contact among players needed to play the game. This includes refraining from handshakes, high fives, fist/elbow bumps, chest bumps, group celebrations, etc. Space out player equipment and water bottles to prevent players coming into direct contact with one another.
14. “Arrive, Play, Leave” Do not gather at the fields or in parking lots before or after games. When the game is over, teams and spectators will vacate the field area and park as soon as possible to allow incoming teams on the field. Incoming teams should wait until previous groups have left the area. Use open space away from game fields for warm up.
15. No spitting, no seeds.

Source: [Phase 2 Reopening Guidance – Recreational Sports, Limited Return to Play for Specified Sports](#)